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Assistant Commissioner For Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application, and pursuant to 37 CFR §1.56, §1.97, §1.98 and MPEP §609, applicant encloses herewith copies of the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449 for consideration by the Examiner.

The listed references are being cited only in the interests of candor and without any admission that they constitute statutory prior art or contain matter which anticipates the present invention or which would render the same obvious, either singly or in combination, to a person of ordinary skill in the art.

Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

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